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TITLEBALLOON-EXPANDABLE HEARING DEVICE FITTING SYSTEM AND SELF-EXPANDING
..... HEARING DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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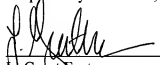
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Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time from 19 April 2007 until 19 May 2007 for responding to the Office Action dated 19 March 2007.

Deposit Account Authorization - The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$120.00 or payment of other applicable fees to Deposit Account No. 08-2623.

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Respectfully submitted,



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